

Senate Bill 305

By: Senators Butler of the 55th, Stoner of the 6th, Golden of the 8th, Tate of the 38th, Brown of the 26th and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Part 2 of Article 3 of Chapter 12 of Title 16 of the Official Code of Georgia
2 Annotated, relating to offenses related to minors generally, so as to change certain provisions
3 relating to computer pornography and child exploitation prevention; to remove an
4 unnecessary cross-reference; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and
5 for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Part 2 of Article 3 of Chapter 12 of Title 16 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
9 relating to offenses related to minors generally, is amended by striking subsections (h) and
10 (i) of Code Section 16-12-100.2, relating to computer pornography and child exploitation
11 prevention, and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

12 ~~"(h) A person is subject to prosecution in this state pursuant to Code Section 17-2-1,~~
13 ~~relating to jurisdiction over crimes and persons charged with commission of crimes~~
14 ~~generally, for any conduct made unlawful by this Code section which the person engages~~
15 ~~in while either within or outside of this state if, by such conduct, the person commits a~~
16 ~~violation of this Code section which involves a child who resides in this state or another~~
17 ~~person believed by such person to be a child residing in this state.~~

18 (i) Any violation of this Code section shall constitute a separate offense."

19 **SECTION 2.**

20 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.